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Applicant(s) : Rajesh Pendekanti et al.

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ELECTRODE AND METHOD OF USE**

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following remarks in response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2004.

For the Examiner's convenience, a copy of the pending claims is attached hereto.